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## THANK GOD IT'S FRIDAY

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## AND GOD CREATED WOMAN

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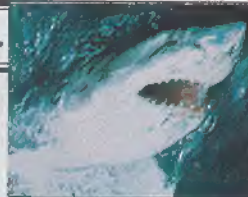
Ryan O'Neal as the driver of a getaway car. Bruce Dern as a cop in a fast-action chase. See page 22.

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## Capricorn One

The first manned flight to Mars—is it fact or fiction? O.J. Simpson, James Brolin and Sam Waterston are the U.S. astronauts embroiled in this tense drama about intrigue and deception in the space program. Karen Black, Elliott Gould and Hal Holbrook co-star. *Some profanity, mild violence.* (PG-2:04) **Aug. 2,4,7,10,13**



## A Bridge Too Far

Relive nine momentous days in September 1944, as the Allies drop 35,000 American and British paratroopers into the tulip fields of Holland. Ryan O'Neal, Gene Hackman, Robert Redford and a huge cast reenact that ill-fated assault meant for a quick end to the war in Europe. *War violence.* (PG-2:59) **Aug. 2,5,7,11**

## The Golden Age of Buster Keaton

Here's a comic genius to delight everyone in the family. You won't be able to keep a straight face as deadpan, sad-sack Buster skips through life. Don't miss this great anthology of film clips of one of the world's classic funnymen. **Aug. 5,7**

## The Great Bank Hoax

What happens when the only honest guy in a bank is the crook who just robbed it? A very entertaining movie happens, that's what. Richard Basehart and Ned Beatty co-star. *Adult situations and language.* (PG-1:27) **Aug. 4,6,9,12**



## And God Created Woman

Brigitte Bardot

Fifty million Frenchmen—and millions more 'round the world—can't be wrong! The one and only "B.B.," the famous pout above one of Nature's more perfect bodies, finds there's more to life than physical passion. *Some nudity, adult situations.* (PG-1:32) **Aug. 1,6,9,11,14,17**

### Wednesday August 1

**5:00 AIRPORT 1975**  
Charlton Heston. *Only showing this month* (PG-1:46)  
**Tonight's Highlight:**  
**7:00 AND GOD CREATED WOMAN**  
Quaint St. Tropez and Brigitte Bardot (PG-1:32) p.5  
**8:30 RACE FOR THE PENNANT**  
Review of week's baseball. p.9  
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**10:00 THE EXORCIST**  
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**4:30 CAPRICORN ONE**  
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**Tonight's Highlight:**  
**7:00 A BRIDGE TOO FAR**  
Allied paratroopers in action behind German lines in Holland (PG-2:59) p.4  
**10:00 CAPRICORN ONE**  
Telly Savalas as a crop-dusting pilot (PG-2:04) p.4  
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## Standing Room Only: Daredevil

Ex-stuntman Robert Conrad takes you on a terror trip with death defiers extraordinaire: speed demons, high divers and human bombs. Legendary stuntwoman Kitty O'Neill even becomes a human torch in this action-filled blend of danger and entertainment. Catch the "Cannon Roll" finale—with speeding cars and exploding cannons. **Aug. 4,8,10,14**

## KISS

They're fire-eating hard rockers who'll dazzle your ears and your eyes! That's KISS, the most popular, colorful—and bizarre—rock band today. HBO takes you to Japan for this exclusive stage spectacle with eye-popping visuals and plenty of solid sound. With their unique costumes and makeup, they're one KISS you'll never forget. **Aug. 1,5,9,14,17**





## MOSES WINE INVESTIGATOR



## The Big Fix

Richard Dreyfuss

Humor and suspense run neck and neck as an offbeat private investigator meets nothing but trouble solving a tangled murder mystery. Richard Dreyfuss, Academy Award winner for *The Goodbye Girl*, is Moses Wine, Private Detective. Tough and cynical, funny and romantic, he's a gumshoe with no money, a flighty ex-wife, a Marxist grandmother and two young sons. "The most agreeable moviegoing experience in months" (*Time* magazine) *Mild profanity, violence, adult situations.* (PG-1:48) Aug. 5, 9, 13, 15, 21, 25

## Thank God It's Friday

Donna Summer

Welcome to the wildest disco in the world! Join some colorful characters as they shake off their weekday worries—and inhibitions—and head for a fun-filled Friday night at a Los Angeles club called "The Zoo." Donna Summer, touching and funny, sings this year's Oscar winner, "Last Dance." Great rock by the Commodores and other platinum discers. "Excellent atmosphere... exciting soundtrack of disco tunes" (*Hollywood Reporter*) *Adult language.* (PG-1:29) Aug. 3, 7, 11, 16, 19, 22



Friday  
August 3

Saturday  
August 4

Sunday  
August 5

5:00 **RACE FOR THE PENNANT**  
Repeat of Wednesday show, p.9  
5:30 **BEST OF THE CHIPPERFIELD CIRCUS PART II**  
The famed English circus, p.20  
Tonight's Highlight:  
7:00 **THANK GOD IT'S FRIDAY**  
And on Friday! (PG-1:29) p.7  
8:30 **CHEVY CHASE**  
Today's top young comics.  
Only showing this month.  
10:00 **CHIPPERFIELD CIRCUS**  
Robert Morley, p.20  
11:00 **BIG BAD MAMA**  
Angie Dickinson. Only showing this month (R-1:24)

2:30 **GRIFFIN AND PHOENIX**  
Jill Clayburgh (1:37) p.16  
4:30 **THE GREAT BANK HOAX**  
Michael Murphy (PG-1:27) p.5  
6:00 **DAREDEVILS**  
Thrilling, daring acts, p.5  
Tonight's Highlight:  
7:00 **ALL-AMERICAN BOY**  
Buddy, California, has high hopes for its hometown hero (R-1:58) p.7  
9:00 **CAPRICORN ONE**  
Elliott Gould (PG-2:04) p.4  
11:15 **RICH LITTLE AND THE GREAT PRETENDERS**  
Super impressionists. Only showing this month.

1:30 **THE GOLDEN AGE OF BUSTER KEATON**  
The best of the great dead-pan comic, p.5  
3:00 **A BRIDGE TOO FAR**  
Huge all-star cast (PG-2:59) p.4  
6:00 **KISS**  
Great visual effects and solid sound, p.5  
Tonight's Highlight:  
7:00 **THE BIG FIX**  
Richard Dreyfuss in top form as a '70s answer to Sam Spade, Lew Archer and Philip Marlowe (PG-1:48) p.6  
9:00 **A BRIDGE TOO FAR**  
Blazing fury of World War II battles (PG-2:59) p.4



## The All-American Boy

Jon Voight

Penetrating, perceptive and often humorous, here's a tale of a young heavyweight boxer with great potential—all he needs is desire. Jon Voight (Oscar winner for *Coming Home*) is brilliant as moody Vic Bealer, a guy with his own ideas of freedom. "A distinctive, gifted movie... funny, wily, eccentric and inventive" (*Time*) *Brief nudity, adult situations, language.* (R-1:58) Aug. 4, 8, 12, 16, 20, 23





## Casino de Paris

**Standing Room Only.** You don't have to go to France to taste exotic Paris night life. It's all here in this world-famous floor show, from the backstage preparations of the glittering, topless showgirls to the grandest and oldest extravaganza in the world. **Aug. 9, 12, 25**



## The Bees

A deadly species of bees wreak havoc in South America and then decide to buzz North. They're not only killers but a bizarre variety that see man as a threat to the environment. John Saxon and John Carradine co-star. *Mild violence and language.* (PG-1:23) **Aug. 6, 10, 12, 18, 27**



## Race for the Pennant

During the hot "dog days" of August, those teams that can remain cool can move to the top, hearing down with the intensity that decides the scrambles for first place. We'll recap each week with action footage and incisive commentary. **Aug. 1, 3; 7, 8, 10; 14, 16, 17; 21, 22, 24; 28, 29, 31**



## The Poseidon Adventure

The great disaster epic and one of the most popular movies ever, the original *Poseidon* relates the desperate struggles of ten survivors after a catastrophe at sea. Cast includes Gene Hackman, Shelley Winters, Ernest Borgnine. *Physical violence, language.* (PG-1:57) **Aug. 8, 11, 14, 18, 20**

**Monday  
August 6**

### 5:30 OLD YELLER

Great Disney story (G-1:31) p.9

### Tonight's Highlight:

#### 7:00 THE BEES

Intelligent bees with more on their minds than making honey (PG-1:23) p.8

#### 8:30 AND GOD

#### CREATED WOMAN

Curt Jurgens (PG-1:32) p.5

#### 10:00 BEST OF THE CHIPPERFIELD CIRCUS PART II

European guest artists. p.20

#### 11:00 THE GREAT BANK HOAX

Burgess Meredith (PG-1:27) p.15

**Tuesday  
August 7**

### 5:00 THE GOLDEN AGE OF BUSTER KEATON

Best clips from his films. p.5

### Tonight's Highlight:

#### 6:30 RACE FOR

#### THE PENNANT

Action footage of week's baseball highlights. p.9

#### 7:00 THANK GOD

#### IT'S FRIDAY

Donna Summer in film debut (PG-1:29) p.7

#### 8:30 CAPRICORN ONE

James Brolin (PG-2:04) p.4

#### 10:45 A BRIDGE TOO FAR

James Caan (PG-2:59) p.4

**Wednesday  
August 8**

### 4:00 DAREDEVILS

Robert Conrad hosts. p.5

### 5:00 GRIFFIN AND PHOENIX

Peter Falk (1:37) p.16

### Tonight's Highlight:

#### 7:00 THE POSEIDON

#### ADVENTURE

All-star cast in dramatic sea disaster (PG-1:57) p.9

#### 9:00 RACE FOR

#### THE PENNANT

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#### 9:30 ALL-AMERICAN BOY

Jon Voight (R-1:58) p.7

#### 11:30 PIRANHA

Man-eaters (R-1:34) p.21

**Thursday  
August 9**

### 5:30 AND GOD

### CREATED WOMAN

From French director Roger Vadim (PG-1:32) p.5

### Tonight's Highlight:

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Line Renaud and the legendary French revue p.8

#### 8:30 THE BIG FIX

Comedy thriller set in Los Angeles (PG-1:48) p.6

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Spectacular rock group. p.5

#### 11:30 THE GREAT

#### BANK HOAX

Paul Sand (PG-1:27) p.5



## Walt Disney Old Yeller

Dorothy McGuire, Chuck Connors and Fess Parker co-star in the heartwarming story of a frontier family that takes in a stray, scruffy range dog. Old Yeller proves his worth by protecting the family in a series of exciting and heroic adventures. Beautiful color photography adds delightful flavor to this action-filled classic. *Family fare.* (G-1:31) **Aug. 6, 17**

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## **JAWS** Robert Shaw Roy Scheider Richard Dreyfuss

You asked for it! **JAWS**: one of the most popular movies of all time... one of the most frequently requested by HBO subscribers! Now, secure in your own armchair, see what you missed when you closed your eyes in the theater as Peter Benchley's best-seller comes brilliantly to life. "Gripping horror... a movie you can sink your teeth into" (Rex Reed) *Strong violence.* (PG-1:40) **Aug. 12, 17, 20, 23, 25, 29**

## **Paradise Alley** Sylvester Stallone

One brother had the brains, one had the muscle, the third had a suit. Popular Sylvester "Rocky" Stallone wrote, directed, stars—and even sings the title song—in this powerful drama of love and rivalry among three brothers who dream and scheme their way out of New York City's slums. Great wrestling action scenes. "Offbeat writing... one of the most colorful films of the year" (*Chicago Tribune*) *Mild vulgarities, adult situations.* (PG-1:47) **Aug. 10, 13, 15, 18, 21, 26**



### Friday August 10

**4:30 RACE FOR THE PENNANT**  
Repeat of Tuesday show. p.9  
**5:00 \$1,000,000 DUCK**  
Sandy Duncan in Disney fun (G-1:41) p.13  
**Tonight's Highlight:**  
**7:00 PARADISE ALLEY**  
A bar, a dance hall, gambling parlor and wrestling ring (PG-1:47) p.11  
**9:00 THE BEES**  
Mayhem from the insect world (PG-1:23) p.8  
**10:30 DAREDEVILS**  
Thrilling and chilling. p.5  
**11:30 CAPRICORN ONE**  
Brenda Vaccaro (PG-2:04) p.4

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### Saturday August 11

**2:30 A BRIDGE TOO FAR**  
Robert Redford (PG-2:59) p.4  
**5:30 THANK GOD IT'S FRIDAY**  
Disco soundtrack (PG-1:29) p.7  
**Tonight's Highlight:**  
**7:00 ALMOST SUMMER**  
Student elections full of dirty tricks (PG-1:28) p.11  
**8:30 THE POSEIDON ADVENTURE**  
Carol Lynley (PG-1:57) p.9  
**10:30 THANK GOD IT'S FRIDAY**  
Disco stars (PG-1:29) p.7  
**12:00 AND GOD CREATED WOMAN**  
Fabulous "B.B." (PG-1:32) p.5

### Sunday August 12

**2:00 THE BEES**  
A stinger! (PG-1:23) p.8  
**3:30 GRIFFIN AND PHOENIX**  
A funny, sad film (1:37) p.16  
**5:30 THE GREAT BANK HOAX**  
Arthur Godfrey as ex-Army man (PG-1:27) p.5  
**Tonight's Highlight:**  
**7:00 JAWS**  
Just when you were thinking of that nice swim at the beach! (PG-1:40) p.10  
**9:00 CASINO DE PARIS**  
Spectacular Paris show. p.8  
**10:30 ALL-AMERICAN BOY**  
E.J. Peaker as Jon Voight's girl friend (R-1:58) p.7



## **Almost Summer**

Those frantic, fun-filled, sometimes painful days of high school are the chief focus of this pleasant, upbeat film for all ages. Stars Didi Conn (*You Light Up My Life*) and Tim Matheson (*Animal House*) are supported by fresh young faces—all involved with end-of-the-year activities. Good music, with the theme by the Beach Boys. *Brief nudity, mild profanity.* (PG-1:28) **Aug. 11, 14, 20, 24, 28**

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## HBO Sports Presents: Summer Carnival

A festival of summer sports! The next splash you see may come from dazzling water-skiers as they compete in jumps, slalom runs and trick events. Or the next splash might come during surfing exhibitions by pro champ Mark Richards. Or it might come from a high-diver, a water-ski show, battle between a fisherman and a "human fish"—or from surfers in Hawaii where the waves are the highest in the world! **Aug. 15, 18, 23, 27, 31**



## The Vintage W.C. Fields

Here's a film anthology starring the man who said, "Anyone who hates children and small dogs can't be all bad."—the hilarious W.C. Fields. Enjoy his best routines plus a rarely seen segment from *The Dentist* (originally considered too risqué). It's a field day for W.C. fans. **Aug. 13, 17, 19, 22, 28**



## Patton George C. Scott

One of the most entertaining and intelligent war films ever made. *Patton* won eight Oscars, including Best Picture and Actor. George C. Scott plays the flamboyant general. "If stars wore stars, Scott would have five." (Gene Shalit) *Adult language.* (PG-2:49) **Aug. 16, 19, 22, 31**

**Monday  
August 13**

**4:30 CAPRICORN ONE**  
Deception in the space program (PG-2:04) p.4  
**Tonight's Highlight:**  
**7:00 THE VINTAGE W.C. FIELDS**  
One of the funniest film men of all time. p.13  
**8:30 PARADISE ALLEY**  
Superstar Sylvester ("Rocky") Stallone as Cosmo Carboni (PG-1:47) p.11  
**10:30 THE BIG FIX**  
Susan Anspach (*Blume in Love*) as a bubbly political campaigner (PG-1:48) p.6

**Tuesday  
August 14**

**5:00 THE POSEIDON ADVENTURE**  
Disaster epic (PG-1:57) p.9  
**7:00 ALMOST SUMMER**  
Lee Purcell (PG-1:28) p.11  
**Tonight's Highlight:**  
**8:30 RACE FOR PENNANT**  
Recap of key games that influence divisional races. p.9  
**9:00 DAREDEVILS**  
Breath-taking stunts. p.5  
**10:00 AND GOD CREATED WOMAN**  
La Bardot (PG-1:32) p.5  
**11:30 KISS**  
They breathe fire! p.5

**Wednesday  
August 15**

**5:00 \$1,000,000 DUCK**  
Charley, a duck who lays solid-gold eggs (G-1:41) p.13  
**Tonight's Highlight:**  
**7:00 SUMMER CARNIVAL**  
Exciting water-skiing from Cypress Gardens and more. p.12  
**8:30 THE BIG FIX**  
Survivor of the '60s on a mission in the '70s (PG-1:48) p.6  
**10:30 PARADISE ALLEY**  
Frank McRae as an over-the-hill wrestler named "Big Glory" (PG-1:47) p.11

**Thursday  
August 16**

**5:00 THANK GOD IT'S FRIDAY**  
Motown and Casablanca record stars (PG-1:29) p.7  
**6:30 RACE FOR THE PENNANT**  
Repeat of Tuesday show. p.9  
**Tonight's Highlight:**  
**7:00 PATTON**  
George C. Scott, brash and memorable as "Old Blood and Guts" (PG-2:49) p.13  
**10:00 ALL-AMERICAN BOY**  
Anne Archer. Carol Androsky (R-1:48) p.7



**Walt Disney  
\$1,000,000  
DUCK**

Here's one duck who won't end up à l'orange. Charley is a lab test dropout who lays solid-gold eggs. When the secret leaks out, everybody wants to get into the Midas game—including the Treasury Department! Sandy Duncan and Dean Jones co-star. *Family fare.* (G-1:41) **Aug. 10, 15, 19**

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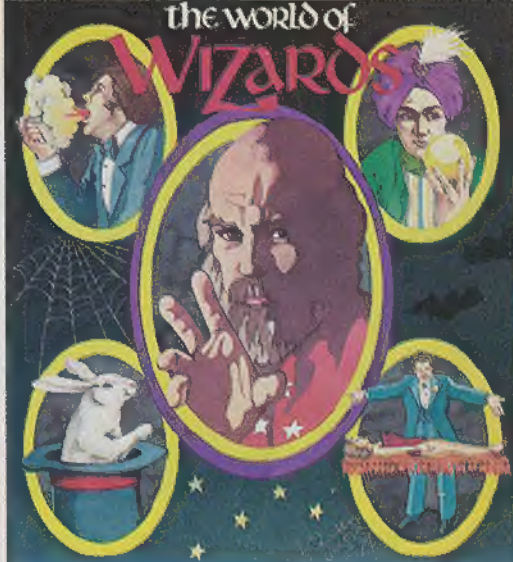


## Standing Room Only: Lily Tomlin in "Appearing Nitely"

"There is more than a touch of genius in what Lily Tomlin does," according to *New York* magazine. And theater critic Clive Barnes says, "She is fantasy gone sane." See for yourself in this HBO event that brings you the Tony award winning one-woman show that delighted sold-out audiences all over the U.S. Here's your opportunity to see one of the finest entertainers of the '70s. It's movie and TV star Lily Tomlin and her very own "cast of thousands" showing you life as Lily sees it. **Aug. 19, 23, 27**

You're off to see the wizards in their wonderful world on this entertaining magical mystery tour. It's one great big spooky family with Houdini, Harry Blackstone, Dante, Goldfinger (the fire eater), Shimada, Dai Vernon and Doug Henning to baffle and boggle. Your offbeat host, the Amazing Randi, whisks you to all the favorite wizard haunts where all the action is. It's a fascinating history of magic combining vintage and current footage that'll truly amaze and entertain the whole family.

**Aug. 17, 21, 25, 27, 30**



**Friday  
August 17**

**4:00 KISS**  
Spectacular rock show. p.5  
**5:00 RACE FOR PENNANT**  
Repeat of Tuesday show. p.9  
**5:30 OLD YELLER**  
Fine Disney (G-1:31) p.9  
**Tonight's Highlight:**  
**7:00 THE WORLD OF WIZARDS**  
Houdini and others. p.15  
**8:00 THE VINTAGE W.C. FIELDS**  
Field day for W.C. fans. p.13  
**9:30 JAWS**  
Killer shark (PG-1:40) p.10  
**11:30 AND GOD CREATED WOMAN**  
La Belle Bardot (PG-1:32) p.5

**Saturday  
August 18**

**1:00 SUMMER CARNIVAL**  
Trickswimming, diving. p.12  
**2:30 PARADISE ALLEY**  
Kevin Conway (PG-1:47) p.11  
**4:30 THE POSEIDON ADVENTURE**  
Shelley Winters (PG-1:57) p.9  
**6:30 SUMMER CARNIVAL**  
Surfing from Hawaii. p.12  
**Tonight's Highlight:**  
**8:00 DELIVERANCE**  
Hard-hitting, gut-tightening film (R-1:49) p.15  
**10:00 THE BEES**  
Killer insects (PG-1:23) p.8  
**11:30 THE POSEIDON ADVENTURE**  
Stella Stevens (PG-1:57) p.9

**Sunday  
August 19**

**2:00 \$1,000,000 DUCK**  
Just ducky (G-1:41) p.13  
**4:00 THANK GOD IT'S FRIDAY**  
Jeff Goldblum (PG-1:29) p.7  
**5:30 THE VINTAGE W.C. FIELDS**  
The one and only. p.13  
**Tonight's Highlight:**  
**7:00 LILY TOMLIN IN "APPEARING NITELY"**  
SRO. Tony award winning one-woman show. p.14  
**8:30 PATTON**  
Eight Oscars (PG-2:49) p.13  
**11:30 THE VINTAGE W.C. FIELDS**  
Great film sequences p.13



## Deliverance Burt Reynolds Jon Voight

A weekend canoe trip down a Georgia white-water river turns into a living nightmare for four Atlanta suburbanites. HBO will show this superb adventure *uncut*. Jon Voight (Oscar winner for *Coming Home*) is matched perfectly with super dude Burt Reynolds. They are ably supported by Ned Beatty and Ronny Cox. *Strong violence, profanity.* (R-1:49) **Aug. 18, 21, 24, 30**





## Undercovers Hero

Peter Sellers  
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Peter Sellers

A French general, a Gestapo chief, Adolf Hitler, a president of France, a Japanese prince, a British intelligence officer—yes, they are *all* Peter Sellers and *all* visitors to a fancy Paris bordello run by Oscar winner Lila Kedrova. Curt Jurgens co-stars in this wild romp. *Nudity, adult situations, language* (R-1:35) **Aug. 22, 28**

## Griffin and Phoenix

A sensitive, moving love story with memorable performances by acting pros Jill Clayburgh and Peter Falk as people facing death. They learn to love and live for the moment through each other. (1:37) **Aug. 4, 8, 12**



## Off the Edge

A breathtaking exploration of some of the most thrilling skiing and hang-gliding in the world makes superb viewing for the entire family. This stimulating film of man's longing to be part of nature received an Academy Award nomination for Best Documentary. "A beautiful and awesome film" (*L. A. Times*) **Aug. 20, 24, 26, 29**



## Golden Gloves Boxing

In boxing, it is better to give than to receive. There will be lots of both as Chicago and New York resume their Golden Gloves rivalry with three-round slugfests in which boxers rarely have the time or inclination to pace themselves. New York trails 16-12-8 but will try to put Chicago on the receiving end again. **Aug. 23, 25, 28**

### Monday August 20

#### 5:00 THE POSEIDON ADVENTURE

Oscar for Best Song, "The Morning After" (PG-1:57) p.9  
**Tonight's Highlight:**

#### 7:00 OFF THE EDGE

The skills of expert skiing, the thrills of hang-gliding. p.17  
**7:30 JAWS**

Roy Scheider (PG-1:40) p.10

#### 9:30 ALMOST SUMMER

Dirty tricks in high-school student elections (PG-1:28) p.11

#### 11:00 ALL-AMERICAN BOY

Set in a small California town (R-1:58) p.7

### Tuesday August 21

#### 4:30 PARADISE ALLEY

"Rocky" sings! (PG-1:47) p.11

**Tonight's Highlight:**

#### 6:30 RACE FOR THE PENNANT

Key plays and players of the week. p.9

#### 7:00 THE WORLD OF WIZARDS

The Amazing Randi. p.15

#### 8:00 DELIVERANCE

Famous theme song: "Dueling Banjos" (R-1:49) p.15

#### 10:00 THE BIG FIX

From posh Bel Air to the boisterous barrios (PG-1:48) p.6

### Wednesday August 22

#### 4:00 PATTON

Fire and ice on the battlefield (PG-2:49) p.13

**Tonight's Highlight:**

#### 7:00 UNDERCOVERS HERO

Heyday for Sellers fans as Peter plays six roles (R-1:35) p.16

#### 9:00 RACE FOR THE PENNANT

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His funniest film routines. p.13

#### 11:00 THANK GOD IT'S FRIDAY

Dazzling disco (PG-1:29) p.7

### Thursday August 23

#### 5:00 JAWS

Panic in the seas (PG-1:40) p.10

**Tonight's Highlight:**

#### 7:00 GOLDEN GLOVES BOXING

Amateur fighting at its best: New York vs. Chicago. p.17

#### 8:30 LILY TOMLIN IN "APPEARING NITELY"

SRO. Lily's Tony award winning show. p.14

#### 10:00 SUMMER CARNIVAL

From Cypress Gardens. p.12

#### 11:30 ALL-AMERICAN BOY

Jon Voight as Golden Gloves champ (R-1:58) p.7



## House Calls

Widower Walter Matthau is a doctor who's got more on his mind than flu shots. It's the swinging singles life he's after. But this Casanova with a medical degree runs into Glenda Jackson, who has a great bedside manner of her own—and refuses to share him with anyone else. Art Carney co-stars in this perfect Rx for a light comedy. *Profanity, adult situations.* (PG-1:38) **Aug. 26**

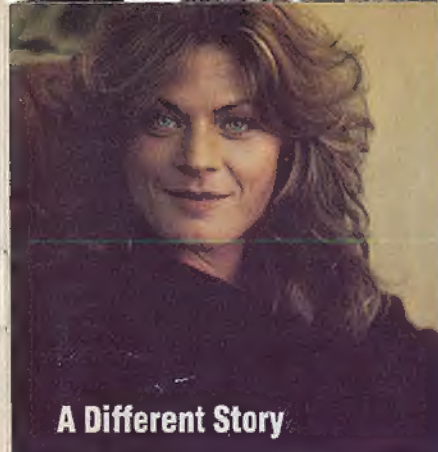




## Carnal Knowledge

**Jack Nicholson  
Ann-Margret**

Daring drama of adult relationships that evokes every human emotion. Sophisticated, witty and unerringly on target, this is a film on its way to being a classic. Ann-Margret, in her best performance, was an Oscar nominee. Jack Nicholson, as outrageous as in *Cuckoo's Nest*, Candice Bergen and Art Garfunkel give strong performances. Directed by Mike Nichols. "Very funny... very cruel... very sad" (Judith Crist) *Adult situations and language, nudity.* (R-1:37) **Aug. 26, 30**



## A Different Story

A love story with a real twist! It's boy-meets-girl; but the boy is gay, the girl is gay. A romantic comedy of two delightfully unconventional people facing great odds. Perry King (*Lipstick, Mandingo*) is the man; Meg Foster (*Washington, Behind Closed Doors*), his new roommate. "Truly offbeat social comedy... sexy, tender, very romantic" (*L.A. Times*) *Adult situations, language.* (R-1:47) **Aug. 24, 28**

**Friday  
August 24**

**4:30 RACE FOR THE PENNANT**  
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**5:00 ALMOST SUMMER**  
Tim Matheson (PG-1:28) p.11  
**6:30 OFF THE EDGE**  
Man's longing to be free and a part of nature. p.17  
**Tonight's Highlight:**  
**7:00 A DIFFERENT STORY**  
Nobody was surprised when they got married—but when they fell in love... (R-1:47) p.19  
**9:00 ALMOST SUMMER**  
Didi Conn (PG-1:28) p.11  
**10:30 DELIVERANCE**  
Based on the novel by James Dickey (R-1:49) p.15

**Saturday  
August 25**

**1:30 JAWS**  
Rousing thriller! (PG-1:40) p.10  
**3:30 THE BIG FIX**  
Richard Dreyfuss (PG-1:48) p.5  
**5:30 GOLDEN GLOVES BOXING**  
New York vs. Chicago. p.17  
**Tonight's Highlight:**  
**7:00 BAKER'S HAWK**  
Burl Ives trains a boy to train his hawk (G-1:38) p.19  
**9:00 JAWS**  
Robert Shaw (PG-1:40) p.10  
**11:00 THE WORLD OF WIZARDS**  
History of magic p.15  
**12:00 CASINO DE PARIS**  
Glittering extravaganza. p.8

**Sunday  
August 26**

**2:30 OFF THE EDGE**  
Thrilling skiing sequences. p.17  
**3:00 PARADISE ALLEY**  
Sylvester Stallone re-creates the neighborhood where he was born (PG-1:47) p.11  
**5:00 COMA**  
Hospital chiller (PG-1:53) p.22  
**7:00 HOUSE CALLS**  
Glenda Jackson, Walter Matthau (PG-1:38) p.17  
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**9:00 CARNAL KNOWLEDGE**  
Adult relationships portrayed with insight and humor (R-1:37) p.18  
**10:45 PARADISE ALLEY**  
Lee Canailito (PG-1:47) p.11



## Baker's Hawk

A moving and poignant family drama set in a time of turbulence: Colorado in the 1870s. Young Billy Baker happens on a wounded hawk and tries to return the proud bird to nature. What follows is a rare study of courage, determination and freedom. Clint Walker, Diane Baker, Lee H. Montgomery, Alan Young and Burl Ives co-star. "Excellent... like a spring breeze" (*Variety*) *Family fare.* (G-1:38) **Aug. 25, 29**





## Legends: Errol Flynn

His swashbuckling romances on screen and off made Errol Flynn a legend in his own time. Handsome, swaggering, dashing, Flynn was among Hollywood's most infamous playboys, and his life-style kept the gossip mongers busy for all the years he spent among them. Saint or sinner? Hero or helion? Decide for yourself in the second in HBO's series of rare clips and incisive commentary, *Legends*. **Aug. 29**

## The Chipperfield Circus: Part II

Robert Morley makes a most amusing ringmaster as the English troupe with its fabulous animal acts is joined by clowns, acrobats, knife throwers and many other spectacular acts from all over the Continent. **Aug. 3, 6**



## The Chicken Chronicles

Good-natured comedy about the romantic yearnings and problems of some unusual teenagers in the '60s. Youngsters from a wealthy community learn to deal with drugs, sexual liberation, Vietnam—and just growing up. Phil Silvers keeps an eye on all the girls. *Brief nudity, adult situations, language.* (PG-1:34) **Aug. 27, 31**



## Inside the NFL

HBO kicks off its third year of NFL highlights with a drop-back, a look-in and a down-the-middle try. The drop-back will feature action films of spectacular performances and key plays from last season. The look-in will evaluate coaching changes and trades. And then will come a down-the-middle analysis of all the teams. **Aug. 30**

**Monday  
August 27**

**4:30 THE BEES**  
In the tradition of *The Swarm* and *Killer Bees* (PG-1:23) p.8  
**6:00 THE WORLD OF WIZARDS**  
Magical mystery tour. p.15  
**Tonight's Highlight:**  
**7:00 THE CHICKEN CHRONICLES**  
Teenage comedy set in '69 high school (PG-1:34) p.21  
**9:00 LILY TOMLIN IN "APPEARING NITELY"**  
SRO. Life as Lily sees it. p.14  
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Spectacular water-skiing. p.12  
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**Tuesday  
August 28**

**5:00 ALMOST SUMMER**  
A school lunch hour turns into a spaghetti war (PG-1:28) p.11  
**Tonight's Highlight:**  
**6:30 RACE FOR THE PENNANT**  
A look at divisional races, standings and statistics. p.9  
**7:00 A DIFFERENT STORY**  
Richard Bull and Barbara Colentine (R-1:47) p.19  
**9:00 GOLDEN GLOVES BOXING**  
Great Amateur boxing. p.17  
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Six faces of Sellers (R-1:35) p.16

**Wednesday  
August 29**

**4:30 OFF THE EDGE**  
Skiing, hang-gliding. p.17  
**5:00 JAWS**  
Troubled waters (PG-1:40) p.10  
**Tonight's Highlight:**  
**7:00 LEGENDS: ERROL FLYNN**  
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**10:00 COMA**  
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**Thursday  
August 30**

**5:30 THE VINTAGE W.C. FIELDS**  
What's not to like? p.13  
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**7:00 INSIDE THE NFL**  
First show of the season! A look at last year and a preview of this one. p.21  
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Family fun. p.15  
**9:00 CARNAL KNOWLEDGE**  
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**Friday  
August 31**

**4:00 SUMMER CARNIVAL**  
Exciting surfing and diving footage. p.12  
**5:30 RACE FOR PENNANT**  
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**6:00 INSIDE THE NFL**  
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**Tonight's Highlight:**  
**7:00 THE DRIVER**  
Taut crime drama (R-1:31) p.22  
**8:30 THE CHICKEN CHRONICLES**  
Phil Silvers (PG-1:34) p.21  
**10:30 PATTON**  
Karl Malden (PG-2:49) p.13

## Piranha

They might have little jaws, but these tiny terrors have razors for teeth—and they'll keep you out of the water for the rest of the summer! Bradford Dillman tries to outrace the speedy demons and warn the vacationers downstream, but they seem unstoppable. Kevin McCarthy co-stars. *Brief nudity, profanity.* (R-1:34) **Aug. 2, 8**





## The Driver

Ryan O'Neal

You can almost smell the rubber burning in this fast-paced chase film. Ryan O'Neal stars as the hot-shot driver of a getaway car, Bruce Dern the cop in hot pursuit. Lovely Isabelle Adjani (*Story of Adele H.*) plays a gambler, and Ronee Blakley (*Nashville*) is O'Neal's "connection." The stunt driving is spectacular; the color and lighting are superb. "Taut, intense and engrossing" (*San Francisco Chronicle*). Profanity, shoot-outs. (R-1:31) Aug. 31

## COMA

Plucky Genevieve Bujold sets out to find what's behind some very strange happenings in a Boston hospital. Richard Widmark and Michael Douglas co-star in this chilling tale. *Adult situations, language.* (PG-1:52) Aug. 26, 29

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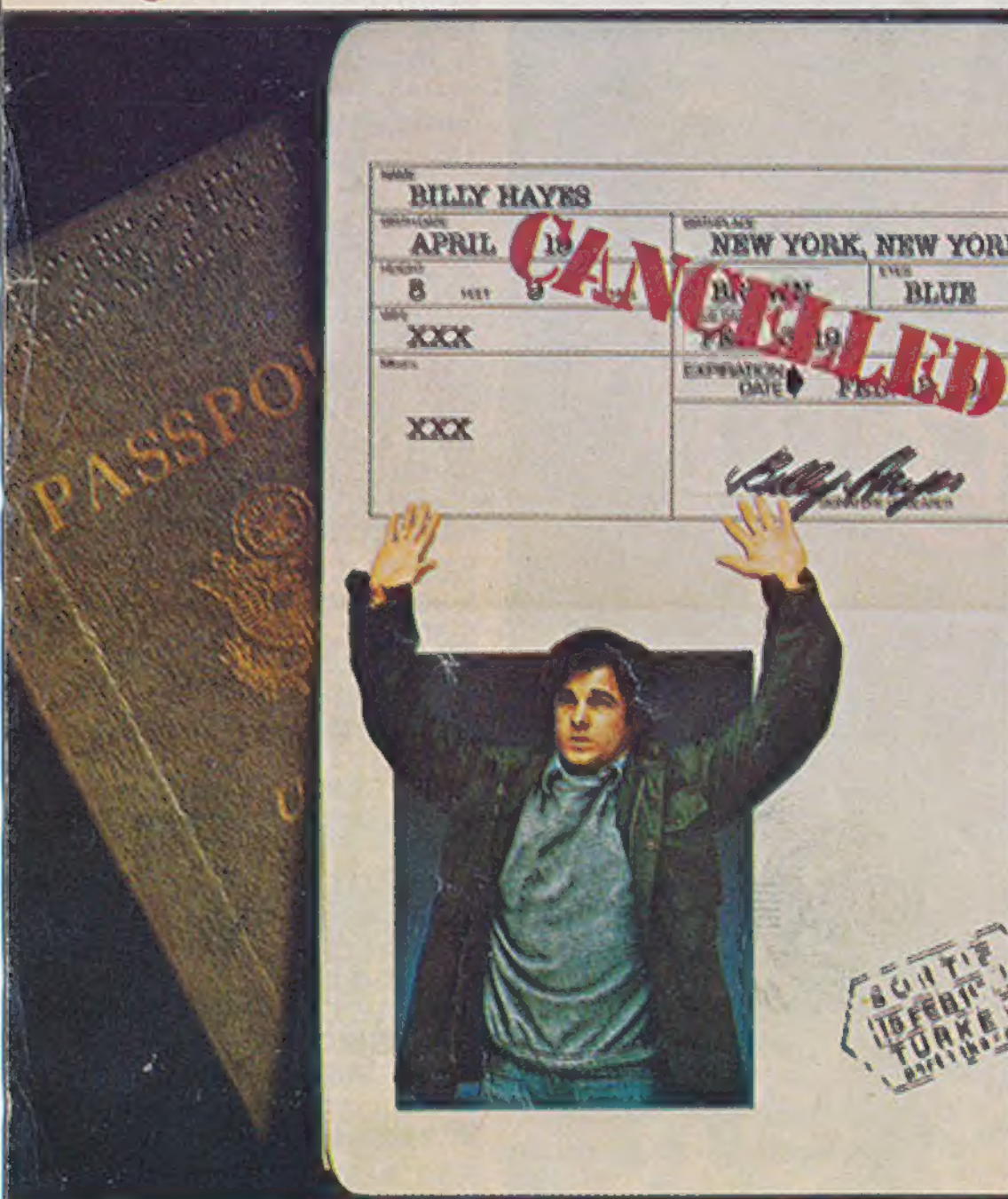
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